HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Appropriations to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 367 by Senator Michot

1 <u>AMENDMENT NO. 1</u>

- On page 1, line 2, after "R.S. 39:1554(E)" and before "and to enact" insert "and 1704"
- 3 AMENDMENT NO. 2
- 4 On page 1, line 8, after "pubic notice;" and before "to provide" insert "to provide for the
- 5 cooperative use of supplies or services;"
- 6 AMENDMENT NO. 3
- 7 On page 3, line 19, after "R.S. 39:1554(E)" and before "hereby" delete "is" and insert "and
- 8 1704 are"

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- 9 <u>AMENDMENT NO. 4</u>
- 10 On page 6, between lines 5 and 6, insert the following:
- 11 "* * *
- 12 §1704. Cooperative use of supplies or services

Any public procurement unit may enter into an agreement, independent of the requirements of Part III of this Chapter or Title 38, with any other public procurement unit or external procurement activity for the cooperative use of supplies or services, under the terms agreed upon between the parties. The public procurement unit or external procurement activity conducting the procurement shall do so in a manner that constitutes full and open competition. Prior to entering into such agreement, the public procurement unit's procurement officer shall determine that the best interests of the procurement unit are served and that entering into the agreement is more advantageous than other

22 **procurement methods.**"